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Sir:

The undersigned attorney of record hereby appoints the Practitioners at Customer Number **22195** as associate attorneys/agents to prosecute the application identified above, including any continuation or divisional applications, and to transact all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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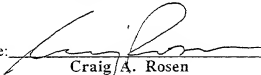
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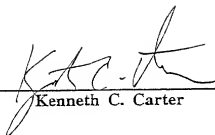
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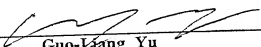
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